

REMARKS

In the Office Action dated November 6, 2005, restriction was required to one of the following Inventions:

- I. Claims 1 – 18, drawn to a tubing network
- II. Claims 19 – 23, drawn to a method of purging air bubbles
- III. Claims 24 – 32, drawn to a method of inflating a balloon catheter
- IV. Claims 33 – 39, drawn to an automatic medical balloon inflation device

In response, Applicants hereby elect Invention III, namely claims 24-32, for prosecution on the merits. Applicants have cancelled claims 1-23 and 33-39 without prejudice as to subject matter or to re-file. Accordingly, Claims 24-32 are currently pending in this Application.

No fee(s) are believed to be due with this response. However, the Director is hereby authorized to charge any fee(s) deemed necessary, or credit any over payment, in connection with the filing of this Response to Deposit Account No. 05-0540.

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Respectfully submitted,

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